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In re Application of )  
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ILLUMINATED PATTERN )

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Please amend the accompanying verified English language translation of the German language text of PCT/EP2005/051161, filed March 15, 2005; published as WO 2005/092619 A1 on October 6, 2005; and claiming priority to DE 10 2004 014 532.6, filed March 23, 2004, the verified translation forming the entire specification and claims of the subject U.S. patent application, as filed, prior to the calculation of the filing fee and prior to an examination of the application on the merits, as follows.